



Docket No.: 1293.1827

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kyung-geun LEE, et al.

Application No. 10/633,564

Group Art Unit: 2627

Confirmation No. 7147

Filed: August 5, 2003

Examiner: PATEL, GAUTAM

For: OPTICAL INFORMATION STORAGE MEDIUM

**STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This communication is to provide a written report of telephone discussions between Examiner Patel and James McEwen on Tuesday, March 13, 2007 and between Examiner Patel and Ralph Webb on Wednesday, March 14, 2007 in the above-identified application.

In the telephone discussion of March 13, 2007 with James McEwen, the Examiner requested authorization to amend claims 1 and 21 by an Examiner's Amendment in order to place these claims in condition for allowance. In particular, the Examiner requested authorization to change the term "another" to the term --the remaining-- in claim 1, line 11 and in claim 21, line 5 and to delete the term "third" in claim 1, line 13 and in claim 21, line 12 (two occurrences).

In the telephone discussion of March 14, 2007 with Ralph Webb, the Applicants authorized the above changes and further requested the deletion the phrase "pits are formed in tracks in the lead-in area, the user data area, and the lead-out area," in claim 1, line 8 – 9 and the deletion of the phrase "pits are formed in the tracks of the first area and the second area" in claim 21, line 14. The Examiner agreed that claims 1 and 21 would be amended as proposed by the Examiner on March 13, 2007 and as proposed by the Applicants on March 14, 2007 by Examiner's Amendment.

There being no further outstanding objections or rejections, it is submitted that the

application is in condition for allowance. An early action to that effect is courteously solicited.


Finally, if there are any formal matters remaining after this response, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned to attend to these matters.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Statement, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 503333.

Respectfully submitted,

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